

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Douglas A. SCHEIN et al.

Group Art Unit: 3734

Application No.:

10/646,801

Examiner:

D. YABUT

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Docket No.: 115621

For:

CANNULAS, CANNULA MOUNT ASSEMBLIES, AND CLAMPING METHODS

USING SUCH CANNULAS AND CANNULA MOUNT ASSEMBLIES

AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the October 27, 2009 Office Action and the December 15, 2009 Personal Interview, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.